

FOR PRESIDENT, JAMES C. BLAINE. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, JOHN A. LOGAN. FOR CONGRESS, SAMUEL E. PETERS.

The Cleveland boom has a hand and eye and has an arm in a sling. Blaine's look can not be printed and bound fast enough to supply the demand.

Mr. John McLean, of Ohio, can say "me too" by acclamation when he goes to Chicago.

The Rev. E. P. Roe is busily engaged upon his serial for the Current. He is most enthusiastic regarding this story, which he has called "An Original Belle." It will be begun in the Current in September next.

Mr. Curtis must have been joking at Chicago when he described the Democratic party as "a party without a definite principle; a party without any distinct national policy which it dares to present to the country; a party which fell from power as a conspiracy against human rights, and now attempts to sneak back to power as a conspiracy for plunder and spoil."

Charles F. Garrett, one of the best known men in the earlier history of Kansas, and up to the time of his death a prominent figure in all the matters pertaining to his home city, Lawrence, died last Saturday evening. His superior intelligence, and his wit and humor, will never be forgotten by his old associates. One by one the men whose faith and courage made Kansas what she is today step out until it has come, it seems to us, that only the new and the stranger are left.

We are very sorry to announce to our readers that Marsh, Murdock, of the Wichita Eagle, has got the hydrophobia. If any one has a mad stone they will confer a great favor on him and his afflicted friends by writing to him at once. At last it is known he was in convulsions and frothing at the mouth fearfully. —Emporia Republican.

The only afflicted friend that we have heard from is the one who thus complains of being bitten. The application of the mad stone to the one who is hurt would be the wisest thing under the circumstances probably.

OFF AGAIN.

The Kingman Courier is off like a two-horse power rocket again on the senatorial matter. As the Eagle was the first paper, in fact the inspiration of the idea that Sedgwick county might well afford to let Kingman have the senator, and as the editor of the Eagle never spoke to either Wall or Dollen on the subject of the call or on anything connected with the senatorial matter, nor even quoted them as we are, we simply fail to catch on to some of the points made by the Courier. When that paper gets to the bottom of the business which worries it, its editor will find that in the above we have told the simple and exact truth.

MURDERED GREELEY.

The "Journal of Civilization," whose caricatures were assigned as among the principal causes which led to the untimely death of the great Horace Greeley, has lost its force. No enterprise, or set of men, connected with the later history of these times, could be more open to criticism than this unwholly alliance of capital, business and servile genius. The Harpers are grasping, knowing no party and having no principles aside from money-getting. Curtis, their boss shuttlecock, a peace-loving man whose spread is more conspicuous than his head, in whose staid brains are lost. As for Nast, whose name was evidently abbreviated at some time by as much as a "y," he is ever ready for anything his masters may have for him, to be even to the foul work of character assassination.

THE BARBER COUNTY HOMICIDE.

The dispatches of last week made brief mention of a difficulty in Barber county in which a Mr. Watts and his son were both killed. It seems the trouble grew out of fencing up government land. Large tracts of lands are fenced with wire by cattle men, which fences not only cross public or well traveled roads, but which often enclose no inconsiderable tracts of government lands subject to settlement. The cutting of these fences which citizens have an undoubted right to do, leads to trouble and sometimes the shedding of blood, as in the instance cited. Mr. R. L. Walker, register of this land district, who has been looking into the matter, is well satisfied that great wrongs are being perpetrated and that the actual settlers are the sufferers and he will immediately report his observations and conclusions to the Department. It seems that these enclosures or fences are just where they will best accommodate the cattle owners without regard to the convenience of the public or the settlers who may live adjacent. Grass is rapidly asserting its kingship in the west. Grass lands are growing more valuable daily. While in great bodies it may be found the most profitable still cattle men might as well, first of all, recognize the fact that to control large pastures they must own them, and that no individual or corporate interest can stand before the interests of the general public.

OKLAHOMA BRAVES.

The organ of the Oklahoma boomers, the Oklahoma Chief, has got to Oklahoma at last we should judge, and it howls with all the fierceness and cowardice of an Oklahoma coyote whose hole is within a single leap. It asks pardon for advertising Murdock, and so do we, if perchance it can advertise anybody. The Chief has been a dead beat and vagrant tramp ever since its first appearance when it was

printed with a Wichita date line. Murdock would not admit it, but he has no second-class nation and thus he beat the government in the matter of location. It was found to be a Kansas place, and of course it has not liked Murdock. Its office of publication has never been its mailing office, and its proprietors could have been made to look through bars. We doubt if it is now published where it purports to be. As to the thing that will "clap" in November the editor of the Eagle, as well prepared, probably, as those who have systematically trampled the orders of the government under their feet. As to "war paint" we don't care whether the bullying crowd, who have enticed hundreds of honest men into trouble, keeps it on or off, nor shall we lay awake at night because their swindling organ announces that it will never again disgrace its columns with our name. You mention the month of November. We believe the U. S. district court for Wichita meets somewhat earlier, but whether it does or not you will probably meet General Hatch before that time. Till then, good-bye, Mr. Oklahoma War Chief.

THROUGH THE TERRITORY.

The bill granting the right of way to the Gulf and Santa Fe railway company has passed both houses and goes to the president for his signature. The line of the road is to begin at a point to be selected by the company on Red river north of the northern boundary of Cook county, Texas, running thence by the most practicable route through Indian territory to a point on the southern boundary of Kansas, the line to be approved by the secretary of the interior before the work is begun. The right of way is to be one hundred feet in width and a strip of land two hundred feet in width with a length of three thousand feet in addition to the right of way, is granted for stations for every ten miles of the road.

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MINUTON ON THE STATE COW DOCTOR.

ELKHORN, KAN., June 24, 1884. To the Editor of the Eagle: We beg you to lower your lance and cease your flitting at the Kansas State Veterinary Advisor, and the law under which he was appointed. The law is a good, just, and desirable one and we hope the "Doctor" is an educator and a competent advisor. There is no just and adequate grounds that we know of for the contrary opinion. The most competent physician or surgeon will occasionally make a mistake in diagnosis, especially when encountering a new and strange disease. I have seen one of the greatest surgeons on earth rip open a tumor on the neck of a man, supposing it to be an abscess when it was an aneurism of the aorta. Death was instantaneous. His remark, "See gentleman, how easy it is to make a mistake," conveys a lesson never to be forgotten. That glanders and farcy are incurable, infectious diseases of man's greatest friend, the horse, no well-informed person doubts. That it exists in the county, no one doubts. I have seen both on the streets of Wichita. Two men in my neighborhood owned mules with farcy. Since the first of April these diseases have been reported from twenty-nine counties. From some of these counties but a single outbreak has been reported as yet, while from others a score or more have attracted attention and given rise to just alarm. If we may judge from the testimony given by many farmers and horse-dealers throughout the state, the yearly losses from these diseases has been steadily on the increase for the past ten years, until at the present time they have reached very serious proportions. Surely it is time to arrest a plague which in six years' time have destroyed for one farmer in Marion county eighteen head of horses; for another in Shawnee county fourteen in Jackson county thirteen within five years. That there are many cases which have not been heard from is more than probable, for reports of the disease are received almost daily and the infected district is constantly enlarging. Under such circumstances the matter becomes one of very great importance, and unless the cooperation of all interested parties can be secured the disease cannot be suppressed. If the ravages of this plague continues unchecked, the vast sums of money invested recently in high-bred horses will be so endangered as to preclude the probability of further investment in that direction. This alone would prove a most serious drawback to the best interests of the state, for the improvement in the quality of our horse stock during the last five years has been simply wonderful. The sheriff is the one by your account that needs prodding with a sharp stick for not obeying the orders of his superior officer. Whose duty is it to appoint the appraisers of the property? The sheriff is commanded to kill. Is it not his duty to see that they are properly valued, instead of "consulting with several attorneys in relation to the matter," as if they knew more than any one else. If Sheriff Fisher does not consult his duty more and several attorneys less, a Republican will wear his shoes, or words of wisdom to that effect.

I never put my team in a stable in Wichita without a feeling of anxiety as to the possibility of their contracting disease, and last winter when I was losing ten to fifteen head daily with an infectious disease I should have been very glad of the advice of the state veterinary surgeon. It is a most responsible and honorable position, and is, I hope, filled by a capable man, and if not, that is the fault of the appointing power and can be remedied, and will be, but the law will not be repealed. Yours, MINUTON.

FROM ATLANTIC CITY.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 27. To the Editor of the Eagle: I enclose you a few scraps. And thus the work goes bravely on. Blaine and Logan will sweep the country by the largest majority given the Republican ticket in twenty years. The masses are not willing to trust the Democracy yet awhile, and I am rejoiced to find them (the young men) generally so well posted on the free trade issue. You have, perhaps, not forgotten my prediction to you over a year ago, that the tariff question would be the issue of this campaign. I am taking a season of rest and recreation here. Don't know when I will make tracks homeward. I thought of going to the Democratic Chicago convention, but will not. It is doomed to be another Democratic fizzle. We are having a big storm on the coast to-day. One of the large piers gave way, and the immense roof fell down. A terrific sea is on. As ever yours, W. C. WOODMAN.

BLAINE'S STRENGTH.

The New York Sun (Democrat) says that Blaine's great popular strength, which is a "mystery" to the common-place, is due, in part, to the fact that he is "a heavy, cordial, unaffected and agreeable man." But this says the Sun "does not fully account for his power among men and does not constitute it." The Sun adds: "The inner soul of Blaine is intense Americanism. He is American through and through, bone, fibre and finger nails. He always flies the American flag, and the American eagle perches on his shoulders. To the hereditary antagonist, foe and rival of the United States, to England, his flag is never lowered, not even in ceremony."

Civilization and intelligence constantly tend to obliterate barbarism and barbarous impulses, and we suppose that in the heart of every American of revolutionary descent, fed on the memories of that momentous struggle, conducted in the Fourth of July orations of twenty-five years ago, there lurks not without aid the effects of culture and Christianity, a certain animosity toward the mother country, toward England. The feeling is not so strong, of course, as that which prevails in all Irishmen; but it is strong enough, nevertheless, this sentiment Blaine represents and embodies, and it makes him friends who would never be his friends otherwise.

Those politicians, Independents and Democrats, who imagine that this sort of infirm passion, avowed or hidden, is a thing that can be dispensed in a presidential canvass, do not consider the facts with adequate wisdom. Mr. Blaine is a much more difficult candidate to deal with successfully than those who judge from superficial indications may believe.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

Dr. E. B. Allen, of Wichita, for several years mayor of that city, and later a member of the general assembly, has been announced as a candidate for secretary of state. Already four or five names have been mentioned in connection with the nomination, but no man better fitted or better likely to receive the support of the Republicans of this part of the state than Dr. Allen. Aside from the fact that he possesses all the requisites of making a very desirable candidate, for the purpose of honoring the county from which he hails, it is the duty of the Republican party of Kingman to favor him with their support. The generosity which Sedgwick is disposed to extend to this county should be reciprocated and in no way can it be done earlier or better than by favoring her favorite son, for whom she is desirous of securing a place on the state ticket. The vote of Kingman is very likely to be cast in the state convention for Dr. Allen—Kingman Courier.

ON FRIDAY MORNING OF LAST WEEK

a wild bull rushed into a band of horses about a mile and a half west of Dodge City. The sight of such an unfamiliar and unsightly object frightened the horses and caused a stampede. Mr. Briggs, the owner of the horses, fired upon the stranger and killed it. The bull was over three years old and weighed 1,200 pounds. It was sold to Chappell & Burdland of this city, and the meat which was fat and juicy, sold at twelve and fifteen cents per pound at this market. The best meat with an unwelcome reception in the home of its forefathers. Fifteen years ago buffalo and Indians were sole occupants of these plains. Cowboy.

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